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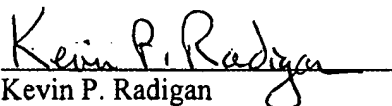
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This paper is filed responsive to the final Office Action mailed May 11, 2005, in
connection with the above-designated U.S. patent application. Entrance of this amendment
under 37 C.F.R. §1.116(b)(1) is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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